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 Serial No: 09/770,319
 Filed: January 26, 2001
 For: FLAW DETECTION SYSTEM USING
 ACOUSTIC DOPPLER EFFECT
 Examiner: Moller, R.
 Confirm. No.: 7522
 Group: 2856
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a RESPONSE in reply to the Office Action mailed April 15, 2003 in the subject Application. Also enclosed is a Petition for Extension of Time within the First Month, along with a check in the amount of \$110.00 for the fee for a large entity to obtain the extension. In accordance with Rule 1.7, this Response is timely filed on June 16, 2003, since June 15, 2003 was a Sunday.

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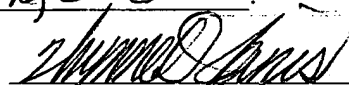


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RESPONSE

This Response is in reply to the Office Action mailed April 15, 2003 in the subject application.

REMARKS

The applicant appreciates the Examiner's thorough examination of the application and requests reexamination and reconsideration of the application in view of the preceding amendments and the following remarks.

In an Office Action dated April 25, 2000 in the parent case, U.S. Application No. 09/028,536, the Examiner issued a restriction requirement stating that the parent application contained claims directed to three patentably distinct species of the claimed